24% drop in new opioid prescriptions

*The number of New Entrants for an identified month is the number of claimants that receive a new opioid prescription (an opioid had not been prescribed within the prior 180 days) during the identified month. The number of New Entrants Lasting 30+ Days for that same month identifies the number of those specific New Entrants that, over the subsequent 180 days, receive a subsequent prescription 30 days or more after their initial prescription. For this reason and due to any late bills received, there is a lag in available data and figures may update over time.